

RELEVANT TRANSLATION OF EXHIBIT 1

Paris, December 11, 2000

Our Ref: 101360/ES/END/MBJ

Title: A METHOD OF TRANSMITTING SIGNALING DATA

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Re: Declaration and Assignment for USA

Sir,

Please find enclosed the Declaration and Assignment needed for the filing of a patent application in the United States for the above referenced invention.

Thank you for returning these documents to us duly signed before

December 26, 2000

To the following Addressee:

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To the attention of Michèle BRUNEEL

Thanking you in advance, sir, please accept our distinguished greetings.

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Titre :	PROCEDE DE TRANSMISSION DE DONNEES DE SIGNALISATION
Inventeurs	- Lahcen BENNAI - Christian LAROQUE

Objet : Déclaration et Assignment pour les USA

Monsieur,

Veuillez trouver ci-joint la Déclaration et l'Assignment nécessaires au dépôt d'une demande de brevet aux Etats-Unis pour l'invention ci-dessus référencée.

Merci de nous retourner ces documents dûment remplis et signés avant le
26/12/2000

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A l'attention de Michèle BRUNEEL

Vous en remerciant par avance, veuillez agréer, Monsieur, nos salutations distinguées.

Michèle BRUNEEL

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Assignment

Whereas I/We

- Lahcen BENNAI
- Christian LAROQUE

hereinafter called assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in

and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor identified by Attorney Docket No. **101360/ES/END**

Whereas, **ALCATEL**
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hereinafter called assignee,

desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

I/We, the above named assignor(s), hereby sell, assign and transfer to the above named assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the application and the invention disclosed therein for the United States of America, including the right to claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §119, and I/we request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in the application to the assignee, its successors and assigns; and I/we will execute without further consideration all papers deemed necessary by the assignee in connection with the United States application when called upon to do so by the assignee.

I/We hereby authorize and request my attorneys SUGHRUE, MION, ZINN, MACPEAK & SEAS of 2100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20037-3202 to insert here in parentheses (Application number _____, filed _____) the filing date and application number of said application when known.

Date : S/

Lahcen BENNAI

Date : S/

Christian LAROQUE

(Legalization not required for recording but is prima facie evidence of execution under 35 U.S.C. §261)